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Orthospinology Procedures: An Evidence-Based Approach To Spinal Care





Synopsis

This text presents the current and updated teaching of the Orthospinology procedure. Written by the author of the landmark text Upper Cervical Subluxation Complex, this book is a step-by-step, thoroughly illustrated guide to the Orthospinology procedure for correcting subluxations. Whereas Upper Cervical Subluxation Complex explains the "why" of upper cervical chiropractic care, Orthospinology Procedures teaches the "how" and reviews the evidence supporting this procedure. The book details the X-ray analysis methods used to quantify the subluxation and determine an effective correction vector. Subsequent chapters present steps for ensuring the precision of the X-ray analysis, performing specific adjustments, assessing the effectiveness of the adjustment, and fine-tuning the correction to the individual patient. More than 300 photographs and drawings clarify complex points.

Book Information

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Not only isà Orthospinology Procedures: An Evidence-Based Approach to Spinal Careà Â a well-organized wealth of well-explained valuable material, it is also well made to stand the test of time of being daily referenced and holding up like new. There are 21 chapters as follows:1: history of grostic/orthospinology procedure2 x-ray equipment, alignment, and patient safety3 patient placement for cervical radiographs4 analyzing the lateral cervical x-ray5 analyzing the nasium x-ray6 analyzing the vertex x-ray7 height factors8 x-ray analysis validity9 supine leg check and postural assessment10 outcome assessments and documentation11 general types of upper

cervical subluxations12 table placement13 hand adjustment14 instrument adjusting15 neurophysiology and the upper cervical subluxation16 upper cervical biomechanics17 high/low factors, levers and wedges18 pediatric spinal care19 managing difficult cases and patient instructions20 post-adjustment x-ray evaluation21 review of studies of the validity of upper cervical chiropractic carel found the text to be very well-written and well-illustrated so that the very precise procedures were fully understood. It will be referenced and helpful.

Excellent text! It was well written, complete and explained key points in a very understandable, logical manner. I would recommend it without hesitation.

This book is a technically rich source of one of the most powerful chiropractic techniques that there is. It was very helpful at learning how to help people heal from the inside out.

One of the best written chiropractic books I've ever owned. Very detailed and I've found myself going back to find little things I can improve upon each time. Highly recommended

Cost, convenience and quality were exceptional! Received the book in 2 days and am very satisfied.

It is such a pity that outside the US there are literally only two orthospinologists. One in europe and one in asia. On the other hand there is a pharmacy in every corner and pharma companies are empires. It shows what a wrong direction health has taken. I dont live in the US and I am getting so out of my way to have myself treated by an orthospinologist, that would surprise most. This book is a gem and it is simple enough for anyone to understand. Just excellent!

This is a great book by Dr. Kirk Eriksen, a chiropractor based in Alabama. Back in the year 2000 or so, I was finally diagnosed properly with this condition, and went to see a chiropractor who used the Orthospinology upper cervical chiropractic method to correct this problem. My sacroiliac joints were also subluxed, and so I wore a soft pulley-based sacroiliac belt to pull my hips together and heal them. Be sure to look for other books by Dr. Kirk Eriksen on this subject. I had the great pleasure of speaking to him very briefly about this topic many years ago now, and he was very helpful indeed.

Dr. Eriksen and Dr. Rochester have once again produced a fantastic book for upper cervical doctors and students. Orthospinology Procedures covers all aspects of the Orthospinology technique,

including x-ray positioning, x-ray marking and analysis, instrumentation analysis, manual adjusting, instrument adjusting, protocol for pediatric patients and even a chapter on troubleshooting for difficult patients. It also gives a summary of the history of chiropractic and the upper cervical school of thought and a concise summary of the neurology associated with the upper cervical subluxation complex. This is a must-read for upper cervical students and a great reference for doctors.

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